THE UN STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK Before Board of Patent Appeals and Interference

In re Patent Application of

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FERGUSON et al

Group Art Unit: 1644

Serial No. 08/307,640

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Filed: September 16, 1994

Examiner: Cunningham, T.

Date: February 16, 2000

Title: WOUND HEALING AND TREATMENT OF

FIBROTIC DISORDERS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks

Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated

August 16, 1999 of the Examiner twice/finally
rejecting claims 56-71 (\$ 300.00)

An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the

above-identified application (\$ 300.00) \$ 0.00

An <u>ORAL HEARING</u> is requested under Rule 194 (\$ 260.00) (due within two months after Examiner's Answer)

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Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on meritsA reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 193(b)

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Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this

paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$380.00/2 months; \$870.00/3 months; \$1,360.00/4 months)

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Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140.** A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

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